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1. Amendment Transmittal (1 pages)
2. Amendment (10 pages)

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Amendment Transmittal

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application, responsive to an Office Action dated May 9, 2003.

FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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 The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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Total Claims	18	-	23	0	x \$18.00 =	0.00
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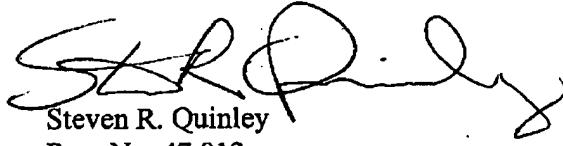
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